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VEB Sodafabrik Bernburg

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The following is a listing of the proposed production for 1955 at
VEB Sodafabrik Bernburg.

Calcinad Soda¹

the plant could accept only a production quota of 220,000 tons, although total demands were for 240,000 tons. the projected capacity of the enterprise was 600 tons daily, or 220,000 tons annually. The latest construction project at Bernburg was to begin at the end of the fourth quarter of 1954. It was not known whether or not the projected capacity of the plant could be attained or surpassed.

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Caustic soda - 40,550 tons

1. Comment. The control figure for calcined soda given by the State Planning Commission was 460,000 tons. Proposed production for 1955 is as follows:

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VEB Sodafabrik Bernburg
VEB Sodafabrik Stassfurt
VEB Sodafabrik Buchenau

TOTAL
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220,000 tons
170,000 tons
60,000 tons
450,000 tons
10,000 tons

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